Volunteer Work for Adults (16-64 yrs) by RSN.

Operational Definition: Percent of adult (18-64 yrs.) outpatient service recipients who were engaged in volunteer work at any time during a Fiscal Year by RSN.

Operational Measure: Adult (18-64 yrs.) outpatient recipients who volunteered work at any time in a Fiscal Year divided by the total number of adult (18-64 yrs.) outpatient recipients in that Fiscal Year by RSN.

Formulas:

Number of adult (18-64 yrs.) outpatient recipients who volunteered work at any time in Fiscal Year by RSN

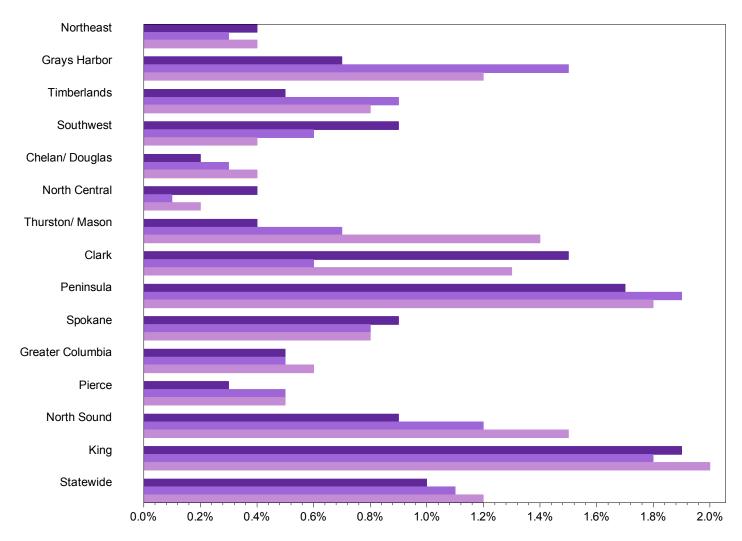
Total number of adult (18-64 yrs.) outpatient recipients in Fiscal Year by RSN

Discussion: If a consumer volunteered for any portion of the Fiscal Year they are counted in this indicator. Review of volunteer work in the 16-18 and over 64 year old populations found very small rates. Therefore, they are excluded from this report. Currently, this is only a snapshot or status measure and does not show change over time. Rates of volunteer work reported among mental health consumers are very low Statewide.

Data Notes:

- Age is calculated as of January 1, yyyy for each Fiscal Year.
- This measure was adopted from the National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors (NASMHPD). They report adults 18-64 years of age because this is the standard employment age.
- The count of people receiving outpatient services includes clients who receive any outpatient services whether it was reported as an hour or a day of service
- Age is calculated as of January 1st for each Fiscal Year.
- Employment status was reported every 90 days or as part of the monthly case status. For Fiscal Year 2002, a person was considered engaged in volunteer work if they are reported in category (6) volunteer work.
- RSN counts show the number of unduplicated clients within each RSN (i.e. a person is counted once in each RSN where they receive services).
- The State total is unduplicated across all RSNs (i.e. each person is only counted once in the Statewide total even though they can be counted in more than one RSN).

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	FY-2003			FY-2004			FY-2005		
RSN	Volunteer	Served	%	Volunteer	Served	%	Volunteer	Served	%
Northeast	5	1,339	0.4%	3	1,096	0.3%	3	857	0.4%
Grays Harbor	9	1,340	0.7%	20	1,331	1.5%	15	1,303	1.2%
Timberlands	13	2,590	0.5%	22	2,492	0.9%	15	1,997	0.8%
Southwest	28	3,262	0.9%	17	3,082	0.6%	12	2,852	0.4%
Chelan/ Douglas	4	1,724	0.2%	4	1,579	0.3%	5	1,418	0.4%
North Central	7	1,727	0.4%	3	2,020	0.1%	5	2,108	0.2%
Thurston/ Mason	13	3,133	0.4%	23	3,352	0.7%	48	3,404	1.4%
Clark	61	4,150	1.5%	24	3,984	0.6%	55	4,282	1.3%
Peninsula	76	4,513	1.7%	93	4,939	1.9%	92	5,172	1.8%
Spokane	51	5,970	0.9%	49	5,936	0.8%	47	5,880	0.8%
Greater Columbia	47	10,432	0.5%	55	11,822	0.5%	65	11,659	0.6%
Pierce	34	9,801	0.3%	53	9,872	0.5%	46	9,042	0.5%
North Sound	112	12,006	0.9%	132	11,322	1.2%	162	10,754	1.5%
King	383	20,393	1.9%	384	21,588	1.8%	421	20,861	2.0%
MHD/ Unassigned	0	0		1	50		0	0	
Statewide	832	80,390	1.0%	866	82,446	1.1%	970	79,540	1.2%



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